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FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 30th May 2025

S.R.O. No. 397/2025—Whereas Forest block Pujariput (A) PRF under Section 4 of the Odisha Forest Act, 1972, has been notified by Government of Odisha, Revenue Department Notification No. F.S. 381/79-4849/R, dated the 23rd January 1980 indicating an area of 263.20 Ac.in Gupteswar Forest Range of Jeypore Forest Division as per Annexure-I;

And whereas, the Government of Odisha in the Forest & Environment Department have notified a "Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Geo-referencing of Forest Block boundary through DGPS Survey" in the *Odisha Gazette* vide Notification No. 22572400112016-10F(Cons)77/2016-1409-F&E, dated the 4th July 2017, for preparation of such geo-referenced Forest maps in pursuance of the directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court in their Order dated the 6th July 2011 [in IA Nos. 1868. 2091, 2225—2227, 2380, 2568 and 2937 in Writ Petition (C) No. 202 of 1995-Lafarge matter];

And whereas, the Government of Odisha have appointed all Tehsildars in their respective Tehsil jurisdiction in the respective Districts as Forest Settlement Officer (FSO) vide Notification No. 7767—10F(TR)38/2020-F&E, dated the 21st May 2020;

And whereas, the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee has jointly verified and confirmed the boundary pillar positions as per report in Annexure-II;

And whereas, the Forest Settlement Officer has certified 'No Change' in the boundary extent of Pujariput (A) PRF post 25th October 1980. The DGPS survey boundary co-ordinates have been verified by ORSAC and certified by the Forest Settlement Officer. The computed area (UTM Zone 44N projection and WGS 84 datum) of the Pujariput (A) PRF is 108.201 ha or 267.37 Ac. The change in area is due to method of Survey & Area Computation.

Therefore, it has been decided to supplement the existing notification of the Pujariput (A) PRF with the above-mentioned FSO certified DGPS surveyed Forest block map as per Annexure-III, and the statement of geo-co-ordinates of the forest block boundary pillar positions as per Annexure-IV,

which shall be treated as the precise boundary description of the Pujariput (A) PRF and shall form an integral part of the original notification in place of any other form of boundary description notified earlier.

There shall be no change to the admitted rights in the original notification.

[No. 12609—FE-DIV-MISC-0011/2016-10F(Cons)-34/2020-FE & CC]

By order of the Governor

SATYABRATA SAHU

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Government of Orissa,
Revenue Department.

Notification.

Dated, Bhubaneswar, the 23th Jan, 1983.

No. FS-331/79. 4849/R., In exercise of the powers conferred under section 4 of the Orissa Forest Act, 1972 (Orissa Act 14 of 1972) the State Government do hereby declare that it has been proposed to constitute as a Reserve Forest the lands situated in Nam. Iri Police Station of Koraput District the limits of which have been demarcated by cairns and the line cleared to a width of 20 feet or by natural boundaries and is located as specified below.

Name of the Block.	Area in acres.	Location	Remarks.
Pujariput-A	263.20	North:-Dandarkhol R.L. East:-do- & Sindhigan R.L. South:-do- -do- West:- Pujariput village.	

N.B:- There is no enclosure in this Block.

Boundary Description of Pujariput 'A' Block.

Cairns	From	To	Bearings. Deg./Min.,	Distance. Ch. Links.
				21.05
1	2		40.00	6.99
2	3		91.00	7.66
3	4		86.00	16.66
4	5		26.00	16.66
5	6		21.00	6.70
6	7		319.00	11.55
7	8		332.00	5.35
8	9		358.00	5.40
9	10		11.00	12.75
10	11		105.00	6.55
11	12		105.00	9.83
12	13		59.00	15.83
13	14		60.00	2.20
14	15		50.00	5.00
15	16		136.00	4.50
16	17		159.00	4.40
17	18		151.00	3.10
18	19		179.00	3.22
19	20		157.00	4.40
20	21		194.00	5.30
21	22		197.00	6.72
22	23		179.00	4.23
23	24		165.00	2.20
24	25		87.00	4.43
25	26		136.00	1.63
26	27		156.00	2.00
27	28		232.00	5.55
28	29		319.00	6.22
29	30		267.00	12.95
30	31		267.00	7.33
31	32		267.00	

(P.T.O.)

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			24.78
32	33	237.00	15.47
33	34	237.00	10.47
34	35	207.00	20.71
35	1	277.00	
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2. In exercise of the powers aforesaid, the State Government do hereby appoint the Forest Settlement Officer, Koraput to enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any rights or privileges claimed by or alleged to exist in favour of any person in or over the lands comprised within the limits specified above or in or over any forest produce to be found thereon and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act.

By order of the Governor,

B.P. Choudhury,

Under Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 4850 /R., Dt. 23/11/80
Copy forwarded to the Director, Printing, Stationery & publication, Orissa, Cuttack for publication in an extraordinary issue of the Orissa Gazette and supply 10 copies of it each to this Department/Director, Land Records & Surveys, Orissa, Cuttack/Collector, Koraput/Forest Settlement Officer, Koraput.
2. The notification is a statutory and may be assigned S.R.O number.

Under Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 4851 /R., Dt. 23/11/80
Copy forwarded to the Forest, Fisheries & Animal Husbandry Department/Director, Land Records & Surveys, Orissa Cuttack/Chief Conservator of Forest, Orissa, Cuttack/Revenue Divisional Commissioner (SD) Berhampur/Conservator of Forest, Koraput/Divisional Forest Officer, Jeypore/Tahasildar, Jeypore for information and necessary action.

Under Secretary to Government.

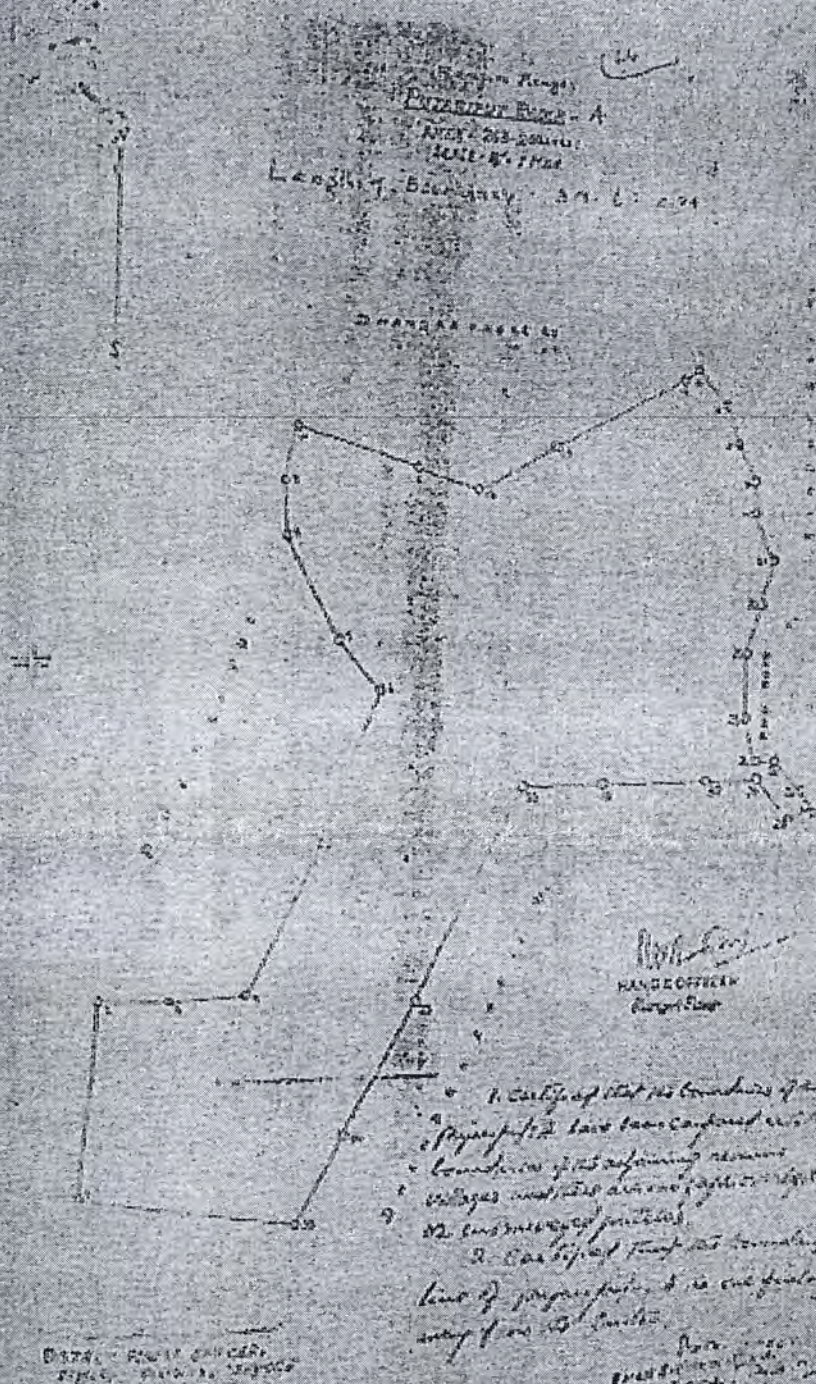
Memo No. 4852 /R., Dt. 23/11/80
Copy forwarded to the Collector, Koraput/Forest Settlement Officer, Koraput for information and necessary action.

Under Secretary to Government.

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FOREST REVENUE JOINT VERIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Forest Division: Jeypore**Forest Range:** Gupteswar**Minutes of Joint Verification:**

List of participation of the Forest-Revenue joint verification committee is given at Table 1.

Joint Verification of the boundary of **Pujariput (A) PRF** Forest Block was carried out during 19-10-2020 to 20-10-2020. Existing pillar position recorded through GPS were plotted and compared against geo-referenced cadastral maps of adjoining villages. The verified forest boundary map is enclosed at Plate-1. Findings of the verification w.r.t. revenue cadastral is given below:

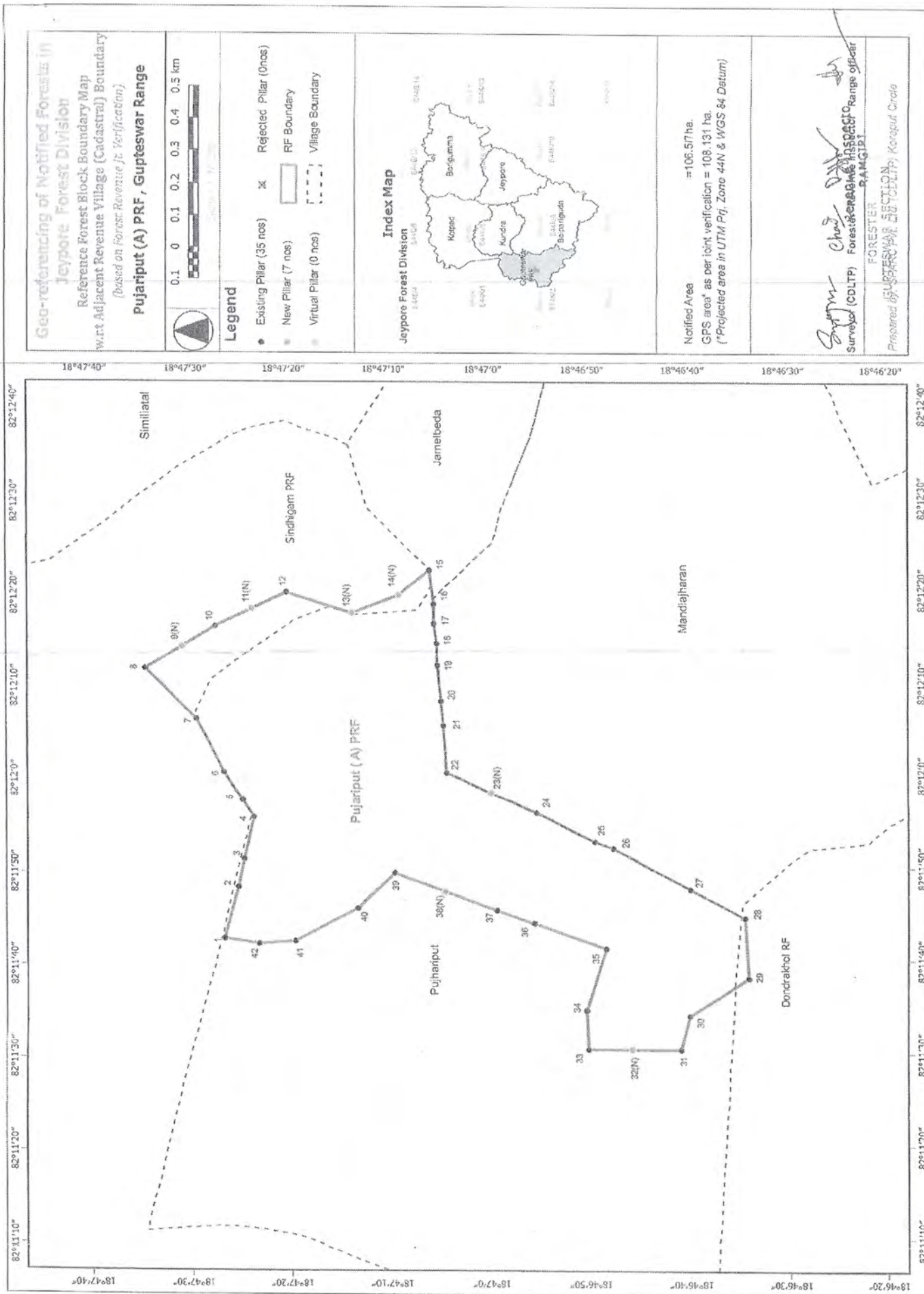
- Name of notified forest block: Pujariput (A) PRF
- Notification no. & date: F.S.381/79-4849 Dt. 23-01-1980
- Area as per notification: 263.20 Ac.
- Existing no. of boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 35 nos. (Annexure -1)
- Boundary demarcations (Proposed Pillars) in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 7 nos. (Annexure -2)
- GPS area of verified boundary: 108.131 ha
- GPS perimeter of verified boundary: 6.053 km

Observations:

Notification with detailed boundary description and Traverse map with Chainage & Bearing is enclosed at Appendix-1 & Appendix-2 The verified boundary Shape & area matches with the Traverse map (Diff is 1.61 ha, i.e. 1.52 %). Forest boundary demarcation Pillars in Conformity with Cadastral Map, existing pillars & HRSI. Change area is due to method of Survey and Area computation.

TABLE - 1

Forest and Revenue department officials(RO/FR/FG/RI/Amin) and TP involved In Joint verification of Forest Boundary		
Name	Designation	Signature
Satya Kumar Raut Charanya Tanti	LDLTP Forester	 FORESTER GUPTESWAR SECTION
Birendranath Mandal.	Revenue Inspector.	 Revenue Inspector RAMGIPT
Suresh Mallick	A.E.F. I/C Gupteswar	 ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS I/C GUPTESWAR FOREST RANGE
<p align="center"><u>Counter Signed by:</u></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> Tahsilidar Boipariguda </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Divisional Forest Officer Jeypore Forest Division </div> </div>		



STATEMENT OF GEO-COORDINATES OF PILLAR POSITIONS

Forest Division: Jeypore Forest Range : Gupteswar Forest Block Name: Pujariput (A) PRF

Ground Control Point (GCP) References. (All coordinates in WGS84 datum & UTM Zone 44N projection)

GCP Type	GCP Location	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
FPCP	Gupteswar Range Office	18°46'32.290752"	82°14'47.856624"	18.77563632	82.24662684
FSCP1	Pujariput (A) PRF , Pillar No- 1	18°47'26.374200"	82°11'42.706788"	18.79065950	82.19519633
FSCP2	Pujariput (A) PRF , Pillar No- 23	18°47'4.005852"	82°12'0.496800"	18.78444607	82.20013800

Geo-coordinates of Boundary Pillar Position (Total: 45 nos.)

Pillar.No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
1	18°47'26.374200"	82°11'42.706788"	18.79065950	82.19519633
2	18°47'25.041660"	82°11'48.226380"	18.79028935	82.19672955
3	18°47'24.410760"	82°11'51.254772"	18.79011410	82.19757077
4	18°47'23.368128"	82°11'55.600152"	18.78982448	82.19877782
5	18°47'24.527724"	82°11'57.634404"	18.79014659	82.19934289
6	18°47'26.279952"	82°12'0.643788"	18.79063332	82.20017883
7	18°47'26.667672"	82°12'1.507788"	18.79074102	82.20041883
8	18°47'28.906332"	82°12'6.033204"	18.79136287	82.20167589
9	18°47'34.129392"	82°12'11.747772"	18.79281372	82.20326327
10	18°47'30.486552"	82°12'14.214564"	18.79180182	82.20394849
11	18°47'27.080916"	82°12'16.545816"	18.79085581	82.20459606
12	18°47'23.438256"	82°12'18.235296"	18.78984396	82.20506536
13	18°47'19.977072"	82°12'20.011752"	18.78888252	82.20555882
14	18°47'13.430364"	82°12'17.690544"	18.78706399	82.20491404
15	18°47'8.700540"	82°12'19.678032"	18.78575015	82.20546612
16	18°47'5.525556"	82°12'22.149648"	18.78486821	82.20615268
17	18°47'5.361828"	82°12'18.671436"	18.78482273	82.20518651
18	18°47'5.188596"	82°12'16.526340"	18.78477461	82.20459065
19	18°47'4.932816"	82°12'14.453424"	18.78470356	82.20401484
20	18°47'4.902288"	82°12'12.122640"	18.78469508	82.20336740
21	18°47'4.534116"	82°12'8.149104"	18.78459281	82.20226364
22	18°47'4.277148"	82°12'5.708952"	18.78452143	82.20158582
23	18°47'4.005852"	82°12'0.496800"	18.78444607	82.20013800
24	18°46'59.518272"	82°11'58.205832"	18.78319952	82.19950162
25	18°46'54.962472"	82°11'56.010444"	18.78193402	82.19889179
26	18°46'49.310184"	82°11'53.193732"	18.78036394	82.19810937
27	18°46'47.205984"	82°11'52.175436"	18.77977944	82.19782651
28	18°46'40.192104"	82°11'48.677028"	18.77783114	82.19685473
29	18°46'39.645516"	82°11'47.696856"	18.77767931	82.19658246
30	18°46'34.021884"	82°11'44.461104"	18.77611719	82.19568364
31	18°46'34.064940"	82°11'38.163408"	18.77612915	82.19393428
32	18°46'39.739800"	82°11'34.019844"	18.77770550	82.19278329
33	18°46'40.754604"	82°11'30.504804"	18.77798739	82.19180689

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
34	18°46'43.136040"	82°11'30.574824"	18.77864890	82.19182634
35	18°46'44.679864"	82°11'30.783156"	18.77907774	82.19188421
36	18°46'49.962144"	82°11'30.761916"	18.78054504	82.19187831
37	18°46'50.207520"	82°11'34.730232"	18.78061320	82.19298062
38	18°46'48.080640"	82°11'41.344116"	18.78002240	82.19481781
39	18°46'55.197948"	82°11'44.115072"	18.78199943	82.19558752
40	18°46'59.035584"	82°11'45.544416"	18.78306544	82.19598456
41	18°47'4.304796"	82°11'47.658480"	18.78452911	82.19657180
42	18°47'9.375360"	82°11'49.471368"	18.78593760	82.19707538
43	18°47'12.743556"	82°11'46.074912"	18.78687321	82.19613192
44	18°47'19.326156"	82°11'42.308016"	18.78870171	82.19508556
45	18°47'22.891956"	82°11'42.111312"	18.78969221	82.19503092

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